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RESCUEPLANS AND FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR KOVBOJ'S DEPARTURE
(1944)

From: MEXICO CITY

To: MOSCOW

No.: 222

31st March 1944

To VIKTOR[1].

KOVBOJ[11]

[19 groups unrecovered]

diplomatic passport of a member of the Legation in

[47 groups unrecoverable]

• KOVBOJ not

[18 groups unrecovered]

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part of this [1 group unidentified][iii] frankly stated that the amount paid per paragraph by the Mexican newspaper[iv], whose representative he will be there, is very insignificant. [3 groups unrecovered] whether it will be possible to give him financial assistance.

[13 groups unrecovered]

. If this [1 group unidentified][iii] suite us, then he asks us to pay him 300-400 a month and to pay part of the travelling expenses. If we agree, KOVBOJ can leave in the very near future. Please reply without delay.

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Footnotes: [i] VIKTOR:

Lt. Gen. P.M. FITZIN.

[ii] KOVBOJ:

i.e. "COMBOY"; possibly Amaro ROSAL Diaz, Spanish pro-Communist Socialist, arrived NORTH AFRICA from MEXICO ca. November 1944.

[iii]. The same unidentified group occurs in each of these positions.

[iv] Mexican newspaper:

Possibly "EL POPULAR": Amaro ROSAL Diaz (see Footnote [ii]) planned to represent this paper when visiting NORTH AFRICA and FRANCE.

[v] YURLJ:

Lev A. TARASOV, 1st Secretary at the Soviet Embassy in MEXICO CITY.

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